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Amend the bill in section 1 in §210-A in subsection 1 in paragraph C in subparagraph (1) in the first line (page 1, line 24 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "any other" and inserting the following: 'another'

Amend the bill in section 1 in §210-A in subsection 1 in paragraph C in subparagraph (1) in the 3rd line (page 1, line 26 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "any other" and inserting the following: 'another'

Amend the bill in section 1 in §210-A in subsection 1 in paragraph C in subparagraph (2) in the last line (page 1, line 31 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "any other" and inserting the following: 'another'

Amend the bill in section 1 in §210-A in subsection 1 in paragraph C in subparagraph (3) in the first line (page 1, line 32 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "any other" and inserting the following: 'another'

Amend the bill in section 1 in §210-A in subsection 1 in paragraph C in subparagraph (4) in the 3rd line (page 1, line 37 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "any other" and inserting the following: 'another'

Amend the bill in section 1 in §210-A in subsection 1 in paragraph C in subparagraph (4) in the 4th line (page 1, line 38 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "any other" and inserting the following: 'another'

Amend the bill in section 1 in §210-A in subsection 2 in paragraph B in the last 2 lines (page 2, lines 34 and 35 in L.D.) by striking out the following: ", coworker or any person with a significant personal relationship" and inserting the following: 'or any person with a significant personal or professional relationship'

Amend the bill in section 2 in subsection 5-D by striking out all of the last sentence (page 3, lines 10 to 12 in L.D.)

Amend the bill in section 3 in the 2nd line (page 3, line 14 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "and does"

SUMMARY

This amendment changes "any other jurisdiction" to "another jurisdiction" to be consistent with the Maine Criminal Code. The amendment removes the term "coworker" from the definition of "close relation," while adding persons with professional relationships. The amendment also strikes the last sentence of the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 17-A, section 1252, subsection 5-D, which would have prohibited courts from suspending that portion of the maximum term of imprisonment based on objective or subjective victim impact in arriving at the final sentence in the 3rd step in the sentencing process. The amendment also strikes 2 words in the legislative intent section.